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INSPECTION REPORT

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NATURAL BRIDGE ZOOLOGICAL PAR

P.O. BOX 88 NATURAL BRIDGE, VA 24578 Customer ID: 2468 Certificate: 52-C-0035

Site: 001

NATURAL BRIDGE ZOO

Inspection

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: JUL-21-2004

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## **FACILITIES, GENERAL.**

Structural strength. The facility must be constructed of such material and of such strength as appropriate for the animals involved. The indoor and outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals.

With respect to enclosure fencing, the following non-compliant items are noted:

- 1. The fencing between the ostrich and zebra enclosures is sagging and part of the bottom is laying on the ground on the zebra side.
- 2. There is a gap in the fencing at ground level at the back of the sitatunga enclosure.
- 3. One fence pole at the rear of the ostrich enclosure is leaning and appears to be loose.
- 4. The strip of cattle panel at the bottom of the fallow deer entrance gate is loose, bent, and has wires protruding into the enclosure.
- 5. The corner post of the gate leading out to the road is leaning and loose. The gate is next to the goat pen, the post is the one nearest to Rt. 11.
- 6. A juvenile white tiger is being enclosed with 4 ft. fencing. This is not adequate to ensure that the animal remains contained.

All fencing must be kept in good repair to avoid escape or injury to the animals. Correct by: 30 Sept. 2004 The tiger must be moved to an appropriate enclosure by 31 July 2004

NOTE: The public areas only in the zoo were inspected.

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